

APPENDIX B

EPA Methods of Environmental Water Analysis

Table B-1. Inorganic constituents of concern in water samples, the analytical methods used to determine their concentrations, and their contractual reporting limits.

Constituent of concern	Analytical method	Reporting limit ^(a,b)
Metals and minerals (mg/L)		
All alkalinites	SM 2310	1
Aluminum	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.05 or 0.2
Ammonia nitrogen (as N)	EPA 350.1 or SM 4500-NH3	0.03 or 0.1
Antimony	EPA 204.2 or 200.8	0.005
Arsenic	EPA 206.2 or 200.8	0.002
Barium	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.025 or 0.01
Beryllium	EPA 210.2 or 200.8	0.0005 or 0.0002
Boron	EPA 200.7	0.05
Bromide	EPA 300.0	0.5
Cadmium	EPA 200.8 or SM 3113B	0.0005
Calcium	EPA 200.7	0.5
Chloride	EPA 300.0	1 or 0.5
Chlorine (residual)	SM-4500-CL	0.1
Chromium	EPA 218.2 or 200.8	0.01 or 0.001
Chromium(VI)	EPA 218.4 or 7196	0.002
Cobalt	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.025 or 0.05
Copper	EPA 220.2, 200.7 or 200.8	0.001, 0.01 or 0.05
Cyanide	EPA 335.2 or 4500-CN	0.02
Fluoride	EPA 340.2 or 340.1	0.05
Hardness, total (as CaCO ₃)	SM 2320B	1
Iron	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.1
Lead	EPA 200.8 or SM3113B	0.002 or 0.005
Magnesium	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.5
Manganese	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.03
Mercury	EPA 245.2 or 245.1	0.0002
Molybdenum	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.025
Nickel	EPA 200.7, 200.8 or SM 3113B	0.002, 0.005 or 0.1
Nitrate (as NO ₃)	EPA 353.2 300.0 or SM 4500-NO3	0.5
Nitrite (as NO ₂)	EPA 353.2 or 300.0, SM 4500-NO2	0.5
Ortho-phosphate	EPA 300.0 or SM4500	0.05
Perchlorate	EPA 314.0	0.004
Potassium	EPA 200.7	1
Selenium	EPA 200.8 or SM 3113B	0.002
Silver	EPA 200.8 or SM 3113B	0.001 or 0.0005
Sodium	EPA 200.7	1 or 0.1
Sulfate	EPA 300.0	1
Surfactants	SM 5540C or EPA 425.1	0.5
Thallium	EPA 279.2 or 200.8	0.001

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Constituent of concern	Analytical method	Reporting limit ^(a,b)	
Metals and minerals (mg/L) (cont.)	Total dissolved solids	SM 2540C	1
	Total suspended solids	SM 2540D	1
	Total Kjeldahl nitrogen (as N)	EPA 351.2 or SM 4500-Norg	0.2
	Total phosphorus (as P)	EPA 365.4 or SM 4500-P	0.05
	Vanadium	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.02 or 0.025
Zinc	EPA 200.7 or 200.8	0.02 or 0.05	
General indicator parameters	pH (pH units)	SM 4500-H+	none
	Biochemical oxygen demand (mg/L)	SM 5210B	2
	Conductivity ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$)	EPA 120.1	none
	Chemical oxygen demand (mg/L)	EPA 410.4	5
	Dissolved oxygen (mg/L)	SM 4500-O G	0.05
	Total organic carbon (mg/L)	EPA 9060 or SM 5310B	1
	Total organic halides (mg/L)	EPA 9020	0.02
	Toxicity, acute (fathead minnow)	EPA 600/4-AB5-013	NA
	Toxicity, chronic (fathead minnow)	EPA 1000	NA
	Toxicity, chronic (daphnid)	EPA 1002	NA
Radioactivity (Bq/L)	Toxicity, chronic (green algae)	EPA 1003	NA
	Gross alpha	EPA 900	0.074
	Gross beta	EPA 900	0.11
Radioisotopes (Bq/L)	Americium-241	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.0037
	Plutonium-238	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.0037
	Plutonium-239+240	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.0037
	Radon-222	EPA 913	3.7
	Radium-226	EPA 903	0.0093
	Radium-228	EPA 904	0.037
	Thorium-228	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.009
	Thorium-230	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.006
	Thorium-232	U-NAS-NS-3050	0.006
	Tritium	EPA 906	3.7
	Uranium-234	EPA 907	0.0037
	Uranium-235	EPA 907	0.0037
	Uranium-238	EPA 907	0.0037

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(b) These reporting limits are for water samples with low concentrations of dissolved solids. If higher concentrations are present, limits are likely to be higher.

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Table B-2. Organic constituents of concern in water samples and their contractual reporting limits of concentration, sorted by analytical method.

Constituent of concern	Reporting limit (µg/L) ^(a,b)	Constituent of concern	Reporting limit (µg/L) ^(a,b)
EPA Method 1664		Dibromochloromethane	0.2
Oil & Grease	1000	Dibromomethane	0.2
EPA Method 420.1		Dichlorodifluoromethane	0.2
Phenolics	5	Ethylbenzene	0.2
EPA Method 502.2		Freon 113	0.2
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	0.2	Hexachlorobutadiene	0.2
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	0.2	Isopropylbenzene	0.2
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	0.2	<i>m</i> - and <i>p</i> -Xylene isomers	0.2
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	0.2	Methylene chloride	0.2
1,1-Dichloroethane	0.2	<i>n</i> -Butylbenzene	0.2
1,1-Dichloroethene	0.2	<i>n</i> -Propylbenzene	0.2
1,1-Dichloropropene	0.2	Naphthalene	0.2
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene	0.2	<i>o</i> -Xylene	0.2
1,2,3-Trichloropropane	0.2	Isopropyl toluene	0.2
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	0.2	sec-Butylbenzene	0.2
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	0.2	Styrene	0.2
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	0.2	<i>tert</i> -Butylbenzene	0.2
1,2-Dichloroethane	0.2	Tetrachloroethene	0.2
1,2-Dichloropropane	0.2	Toluene	0.2
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene	0.2	<i>trans</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	0.2
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	0.2	<i>trans</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	0.2
1,3-Dichloropropane	0.2	Trichloroethene	0.2
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	0.2	Trichlorofluoromethane	0.2
2,2-Dichloropropane	0.2	Vinyl chloride	0.2
2-Chlorotoluene	0.2	EPA Method 507	
4-Chlorotoluene	0.2	Alachlor	0.5
Benzene	0.2	Atraton	0.5
Bromobenzene	0.2	Atrazine	0.5
Bromochloromethane	0.2	Bromacil	0.5
Bromodichloromethane	0.2	Butachlor	0.5
Bromoform	0.2	Diazinon	0.5
Bromomethane	0.2	Dichlorvos	0.5
Carbon tetrachloride	0.2	Ethoprop	0.5
Chlorobenzene	0.2	Merphos	0.5
Chloroethane	0.2	Metolachlor	0.5
Chloroform	0.2	Metribuzin	0.5
Chloromethane	0.2	Mevinphos	0.5
<i>cis</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	0.2	Molinate	0.5
<i>cis</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	0.5	Prometon	0.5

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EPA Method 507 (cont.)					
Prometryn	0.5	Dibromomethane	1		
Simazine	0.5	Dichlorodifluoromethane	2		
Terbutryn	0.5	Ethylbenzene	1		
EPA Method 524.2					
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	1	Ethylene dibromide	1		
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	1	Freon-113	1		
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	1	Hexachlorobutadiene	1		
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1	Isopropylbenzene	1		
1,1-Dichloroethane	1	<i>m</i> - and <i>p</i> -Xylene isomers	1		
1,1-Dichloroethene	1	Methylene chloride	1		
1,1-Dichloropropene	1	<i>n</i> -Butylbenzene	1		
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene	1	<i>n</i> -Propylbenzene	1		
1,2,3-Trichloropropane	1	Naphthalene	1		
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	1	<i>o</i> -Xylene	1		
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	1	Isopropyl toluene	1		
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane	2	sec-Butylbenzene	1		
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	1	Styrene	1		
1,2-Dichloroethane	1	<i>tert</i> -Butylbenzene	1		
1,2-Dichloropropane	1	Tetrachloroethene	1		
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene	1	Toluene	1		
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	1	<i>trans</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	1		
1,3-Dichloropropane	1	<i>trans</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	1		
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	1	Trichloroethene	0.5		
2-Chlorotoluene	1	Trichlorofluoromethane	1		
4-Chlorotoluene	1	Vinyl chloride	2		
Benzene	1	EPA Method 525			
Bromobenzene	1	2,4-Dinitrotoluene	0.5		
Bromodichloromethane	1	2,6-Dinitrotoluene	0.5		
Bromoform	1	4,4'-DDD	0.5		
Bromomethane	2	4,4'-DDE	0.5		
Carbon tetrachloride	1	4,4'-DDT	0.5		
Chlorobenzene	1	Acenaphthylene	0.5		
Chloroethane	2	Alachlor	0.5		
Chloroform	1	Aldrin	0.5		
Chloromethane	2	Anthracene	0.5		
<i>cis</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	1	Aroclor 1016 (PCB)	0.5		
<i>cis</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	1	Aroclor 1221 (PCB)	0.5		
Dibromochloromethane	1	Aroclor 1232 (PCB)	0.5		
		Aroclor 1242 (PCB)	0.5		
		Aroclor 1248 (PCB)	0.5		

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Constituent of concern	Reporting limit (µg/L) ^(a,b)	Constituent of concern	Reporting limit (µg/L) ^(a,b)
EPA Method 525 (cont.)			
Aroclor 1254 (PCB)	0.5	Isophorone	0.5
Aroclor 1260 (PCB)	0.5	Lindane	0.5
Atraton	0.5	Merphos	0.5
Atrazine	0.5	Methoxychlor	0.5
Benzo(a)anthracene	0.5	Metolachlor	0.5
Benzo(a)pyrene	0.5	Metribuzin	0.5
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	0.5	Mevinphos	0.5
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	0.5	Pentachlorobenzene	0.5
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	0.5	Pentachlorophenol	0.5
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	0.5	Phenanthrene	0.5
Bromacil	0.5	Prometon	0.5
Butachlor	0.5	Prometryne	0.5
Butylbenzylphthalate	0.5	Propachlor	0.5
Chlordane	0.5	Pyrene	0.5
Chloroproham	0.5	Simazine	0.5
Chlorpyrifos	0.5	Stirophos	0.5
Chrysene	0.5	Terbutryn	0.5
Di (2-ethylhexyl) adipate	0.5	Toxaphene	0.5
Di-n-butylphthalate	0.5	EPA Method 547	
Diazinon	0.5	Glyphosate	20
Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	0.5	EPA Method 601	
Dichlorvos	0.5	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	0.5
Dieldrin	0.5	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	0.5
Diethylphthalate	0.5	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	0.5
Dimethylphthalate	0.5	1,1-Dichloroethane	0.5
Disulfoton	0.5	1,1-Dichloroethene	0.5
Endosulfan I	0.5	1,2-Dichlorobenzene	0.5
Endosulfan II	0.5	1,2-Dichloroethane	0.5
Endosulfan sulfate	0.5	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	0.5
Endrin	0.5	1,2-Dichloropropane	0.5
Endrin aldehyde	0.5	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	0.5
Ethoprop	0.5	1,4-Dichlorobenzene	0.5
Fluorene	0.5	2-Chloroethylvinylether	0.5
Heptachlor	0.5	Bromodichloromethane	0.5
Heptachlor epoxide	0.5	Bromoform	0.5
Hexachlorobenzene	0.5	Bromomethane	0.5
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	0.5	Carbon tetrachloride	0.5
Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene	0.5	Chlorobenzene	0.5
		Chloroethane	0.5

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EPA Method 601 (cont.)					
Chloroform	0.5	Dicamba	1		
Chloromethane	0.5	Dichloroprop	2		
<i>cis</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	0.5	Dinoseb	1		
<i>cis</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	0.5	MCPA	250		
Dibromochloromethane	0.5	MCPP	250		
Dichlorodifluoromethane	0.5	EPA Method 624			
Freon-113	0.5	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	1		
Methylene chloride	0.5	1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	1		
Tetrachloroethene <i>trans</i> -1,2-	0.5	1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1		
Dichloroethene <i>trans</i> -1,3-	0.5	1,1-Dichloroethane	1		
Dichloropropene	0.5	1,1-Dichloroethene	1		
Trichloroethene	0.5	1,2-Dichlorobenzene	1		
Trichlorofluoromethane	0.5	1,2-Dichloroethane	1		
Vinyl chloride	0.5	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	1		
EPA Method 608					
Aldrin	0.05	1,2-Dichloropropane	1		
BHC, alpha isomer	0.05	1,3-Dichlorobenzene	1		
BHC, beta isomer	0.05	1,4-Dichlorobenzene	1		
BHC, delta isomer	0.05	2-Butanone	20		
BHC, gamma isomer (Lindane)	0.05	2-Chloroethylvinylether	20		
Chlordane	0.2	2-Hexanone	20		
Dieldrin	0.1	4-Methyl-2-pentanone	20		
Endosulfan I	0.05	Acetone	10		
Endosulfan II	0.1	Benzene	1		
Endosulfan sulfate	0.1	Bromodichloromethane	1		
Endrin	0.1	Bromoform	1		
Endrin aldehyde	0.1	Bromomethane	2		
Heptachlor	0.05	Carbon disulfide	1		
Heptachlor epoxide	0.05	Carbon tetrachloride	1		
Methoxychlor	0.5	Chlorobenzene	1		
4,4'-DDD	0.1	Chloroethane	2		
4,4'-DDE	0.1	Chloroform	1		
4,4'-DDT	0.1	Chloromethane	2		
Toxaphene	1	<i>cis</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	1		
EPA Method 615					
2,4,5-T	0.5	<i>cis</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	1		
2,4,5-TP (Silvex)	0.2	Dibromochloromethane	1		
2,4-D	1	Dibromomethane	1		
2,4-Dichlorophenoxy acetic acid	2	Dichlorodifluoromethane	2		
Dalapon	10	Ethylbenzene	1		
		Freon 113	1		
		Methylene chloride	1		

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EPA Method 624 (cont.)					
Styrene	1	Benzo[a]pyrene	5		
Tetrachloroethene	1	Benzo[b]fluoranthene	5		
Toluene	1	Benzo[g,h,i]pyrene	5		
Total xylene isomers	2	Benzo[k]fluoranthene	5		
<i>trans</i> -1,2-Dichloroethene	1	Benzoic acid	25		
<i>trans</i> -1,3-Dichloropropene	1	Benzyl alcohol	10		
Trichloroethene	0.5	Bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	5		
Trichlorofluoromethane	1	Bis(2-chloroisopropyl)ether	5		
Vinyl acetate	1	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	5		
Vinyl chloride	1	Butylbenzylphthalate	5		
EPA Method 625					
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	5	Chrysene	5		
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	5	Di- <i>n</i> -butylphthalate	5		
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	5	Di- <i>n</i> -octylphthalate	5		
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	5	Dibenzo[a,h]anthracene	5		
2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	5	Dibenzofuran	5		
2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	5	Diethylphthalate	5		
2,4-Dichlorophenol	5	Dimethylphthalate	5		
2,4-Dimethylphenol	5	Fluoranthene	5		
2,4-Dinitrophenol	25	Fluorene	5		
2,4-Dinitrotoluene	5	Hexachlorobenzene	5		
2,6-Dinitrotoluene	5	Hexachlorobutadiene	5		
2-Chloronaphthalene	5	Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	5		
2-Chlorophenol	5	Hexachloroethane	5		
2-Methylphenol	5	Indeno[1,2,3-c,d]pyrene	5		
2-Methyl-4,6-dinitrophenol	25	Isophorone	5		
2-Methylnaphthalene	5	<i>m</i> - and <i>p</i> -Cresol	5		
2-Nitroaniline	25	<i>N</i> -Nitroso-di- <i>n</i> -propylamine	5		
3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	10	Naphthalene	5		
3-Nitroaniline	25	Nitrobenzene	5		
4-Bromophenylphenylether	5	Pentachlorophenol	5		
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol	10	Phenanthrene	5		
4-Chloroaniline	10	Phenol	5		
4-Chlorophenylphenylether	5	Pyrene	5		
4-Nitroaniline	25	EPA Method 632			
4-Nitrophenol	25	Diuron	0.1		
Acenaphthene	25	EPA Method 8082			
Acenaphthylene	5	Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)	0.5		
Anthracene	5	EPA Method 8140			
Benzo[a]anthracene	5	Bolstar	1		
		Chlorpyrifos	1		
		Coumaphos	1		
		Demeton	1		
		Diazinon	1		

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EPA Method 8140 (cont.)					
Dichlorvos	1	Chlorobenzene	0.5		
Disulfoton	1	Chloroethane	0.5		
Ethoprop	1	Chloroform	0.5		
Fensulfothion	1	Chloromethane	0.5		
Fenthion	1	Chloroprene	5		
Merphos	1	Dibromochloromethane	0.5		
Methyl Parathion	1	Dichlorodifluoromethane	0.5		
Mevinphos	1	Ethanol	1000		
Naled	1	Ethylbenzene	0.5		
Phorate	1	Freon-113	0.5		
Prothiophos	1	Methylene chloride	0.5		
Ronnel	1	Styrene	0.5		
Stirophos	1	Tetrachloroethene	0.5		
Trichloronate	1	Toluene	0.5		
EPA Method 8260					
1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane	0.5	Total xylene isomers	0.5		
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	0.5	Trichloroethene	0.5		
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	0.5	Trichlorofluoromethane	0.5		
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	0.5	Vinyl acetate	20		
1,1-Dichloroethane	0.5	Vinyl chloride	0.5		
1,1-Dichloroethene	0.5	cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	0.5		
1,2,3-Trichloropropane	0.5	cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	0.5		
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane	0.5	trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	0.5		
1,2-Dichloroethane	0.5	trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	0.5		
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	0.5	EPA Method 8290			
1,2-Dichloropropane	0.5	1,2,3,4,6,7,8-HpCDD	0.00025		
2-Butanone	0.5	1,2,3,4,6,7,8-HpCDF	0.00025		
2-Chloroethylvinylether	0.5	1,2,3,4,7,8,9-HpCDF	0.00025		
2-Hexanone	0.5	1,2,3,4,7,8-HxCDF	0.00025		
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	0.5	1,2,3,6,7,8-HxCDD	0.00025		
Acetone	10	1,2,3,6,7,8-HxCDF	0.00025		
Acetonitrile	100	1,2,3,7,8,9-HxCDD	0.00025		
Acrolein	50	1,2,3,7,8,9-HxCDF	0.00025		
Acrylonitrile	50	2,3,4,6,7,8-HxCDF	0.00025		
Benzene	0.5	2,3,4,7,8-PeCDF	0.0001		
Bromodichloromethane	0.5	2,3,7,8-TCDD	0.0001		
Bromoform	0.5	2,3,7,8-TCDF	0.0001		
Bromomethane	0.5	OCDD	0.0005		
Carbon disulfide	5	OCDF	0.0005		
Carbon tetrachloride	0.5				

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EPA Method 8330B	5 or 1	EPA Method 9131 or Standard Method 9221	MPN ^(f) /100mL
HMX ^(c)	5 or 1	Fecal coliform bacteria	1 to 2
RDX ^(d)	5	Total coliform bacteria	1 to 2
TNT ^(e)	0.0001		

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- (b) These reporting limits are for water samples with low concentrations of dissolved solids. If higher concentrations are present, limits are likely to be higher.
- (c) HMX is octahydro-1,3,5,7-tetranitro-1,3,5,7-tetrazocine.
- (d) RDX is hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine.
- (e) TNT is 2,4,6-trinitrotoluene.
- (f) MPN = most probable number (of organisms).